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I believe that the proposed Microsoft/DOJ settlement is not in the public interest for the following reasons:

1. Microsoft has been found guilty of crimes but the proposed settlement does not punish them--it only modifies certain future behavior.
2. Proposed limitations on their future behavior are not adequate since Windows XP already extends the Microsoft monopoly.
3. The proposed settlement fails to remedy the findings of fact.
4. Microsoft does not admit guilt.
5. Microsoft violated the Tunney Act by lobbying the Vice President and members of Congress and failed to appropriately disclose it.

I urge you to do the right thing and reject the settlement and impose remedies that will properly reflect the seriousness of Microsoft's illegal monopolistic activities.

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